THE IDOLM@STER
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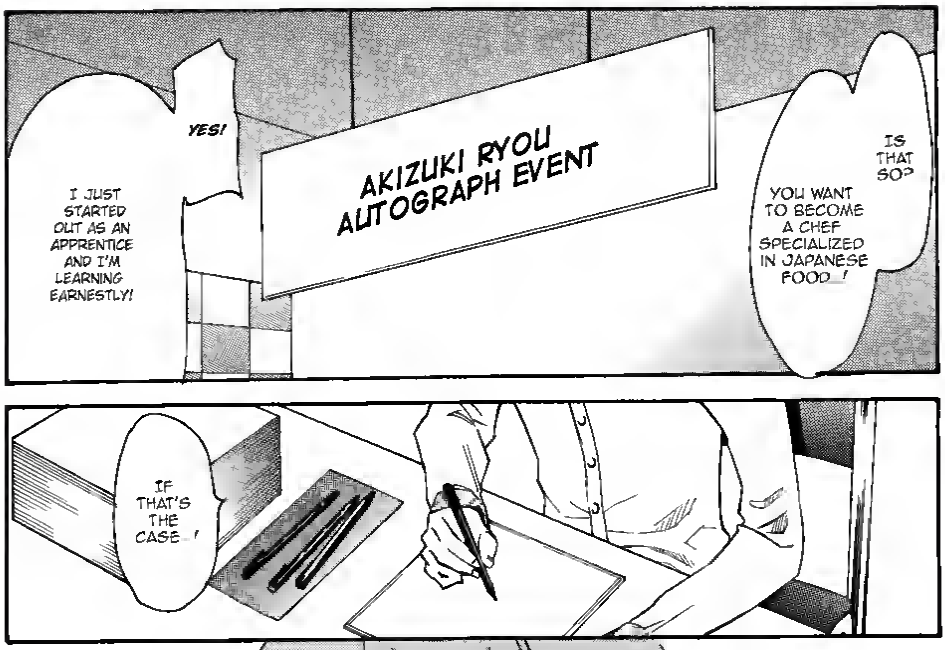
for Dearly Stars


AKIZUKI RYOU
AUTOGRAPH EVENT
YES!
I JUST STARTED OUT AS AN APPRENTICE AND I'M LEARNING EARNESTLY!
IS THAT SO?
YOU WANT TO BECOME A CHEF SPECIALIZED IN JAPANESE FOOD...!
IF THAT'S THE CASE...!

HERE YOU GO!
GIVE IT YOUR ALL!
I'LL ALSO BE CHEERING YOU ON!
Akizuki
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After Episode

PLEASED TO MEET YOU!!
NEXT PERSON

AH
YUMEKO -CHAN!
SORRY TO BOTHER YOU.

GOOD WORK TODAY!
GOOD JOB!

AKIZUKI-SAN, THERE'S SOMEONE WAITING FOR YOU
HUH?

COME ON
"BANTER", YOU SAY
THAT'S WHAT I SAID
I HEARD YOU WERE DOING AN AUTOGRAPH SESSION SO I THOUGHT I MAY AS WELL COME OVER FOR SOME BANTER
WHAT A SURPRISE
ISN'T THERE SOMETHING YOU GOTTA TELL ME?
WHA-
AH!
YOU WANT ME TO EAT SOME CANDY YOU BROUGHT?
LET'S SEE
THAT'S NOT IT!
YOU STILL HAVEN'T WON THE IDOL ULTIMATE EVENT, RIGHT!?

B-BUT IT'S NOT LIKE I HAD MUCH OF A CHOICE!
THAT'S WHAT YOU MEANT. SORRY ABOUT THAT

I DON'T KNOW EITHER BUT
WHY... WHY DID HIDAKA MAI ATTEND THAT EVENT?!

SYAAAN!
DURING ULTIMATE'S FINALS I HAD TO COMPETE WITH HIDAKA MAI, WHO JOINED IN THE LAST MINUTE...!
WHAT!? HIDAKA MAI YOU SAY...

BEFORE ANYONE HAD NOTICED EVEN THE EVENT'S NAME HAD BEEN CHANGED TO IDOLS DANCE OF DARKNESS
YUMEKO'S IMAGINATION

HU HU HU ...
IF THERE IS ANYONE WHO DARES TO CALL THEMSELVES THE IDOLMASTER...
JUST TRY TO TAME ME!!
THE RULES ARE MAI-SAN VS ALL OTHER IDOLS!
MAI-SAN HAS ALREADY STARTED TACKLING THEM ONE BY ONE
ONE AFTER ANOTHER

*YUMEKO'S IMAGINATION...
TODAY'S DANCE OF DARKNESS...
IT'S BEEN PRETTY ENTERTAINING.
HUH
ALL THESE INTERESTING KIDS HAVE SPRUNG UP... I'M GLAD ABOUT THAT
NOT TO MENTION
IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE I'VE LET MYSELF LOOSE
DISCLAIMER: STILL HER IMAGINATION

DEFINITELY HER IMAGINATION
WE SHALL SEE EACH OTHER AGAIN NEXT YEAR
I DON'T EVEN KNOW ANYMORE...
...AND JUST LIKE THAT IT ENDED WITH A CLEAR WINNER...
IF YOU WEREN'T ABLE TO BEAT IT, YOU HAD PROMISED ME YOU'D DO WHATEVER I ASKED YOU.
HUH!?
EITHER WAY YOU STILL HAVEN'T WON THAT EVENT!
UNGH
WELL...
YOU KNOW!

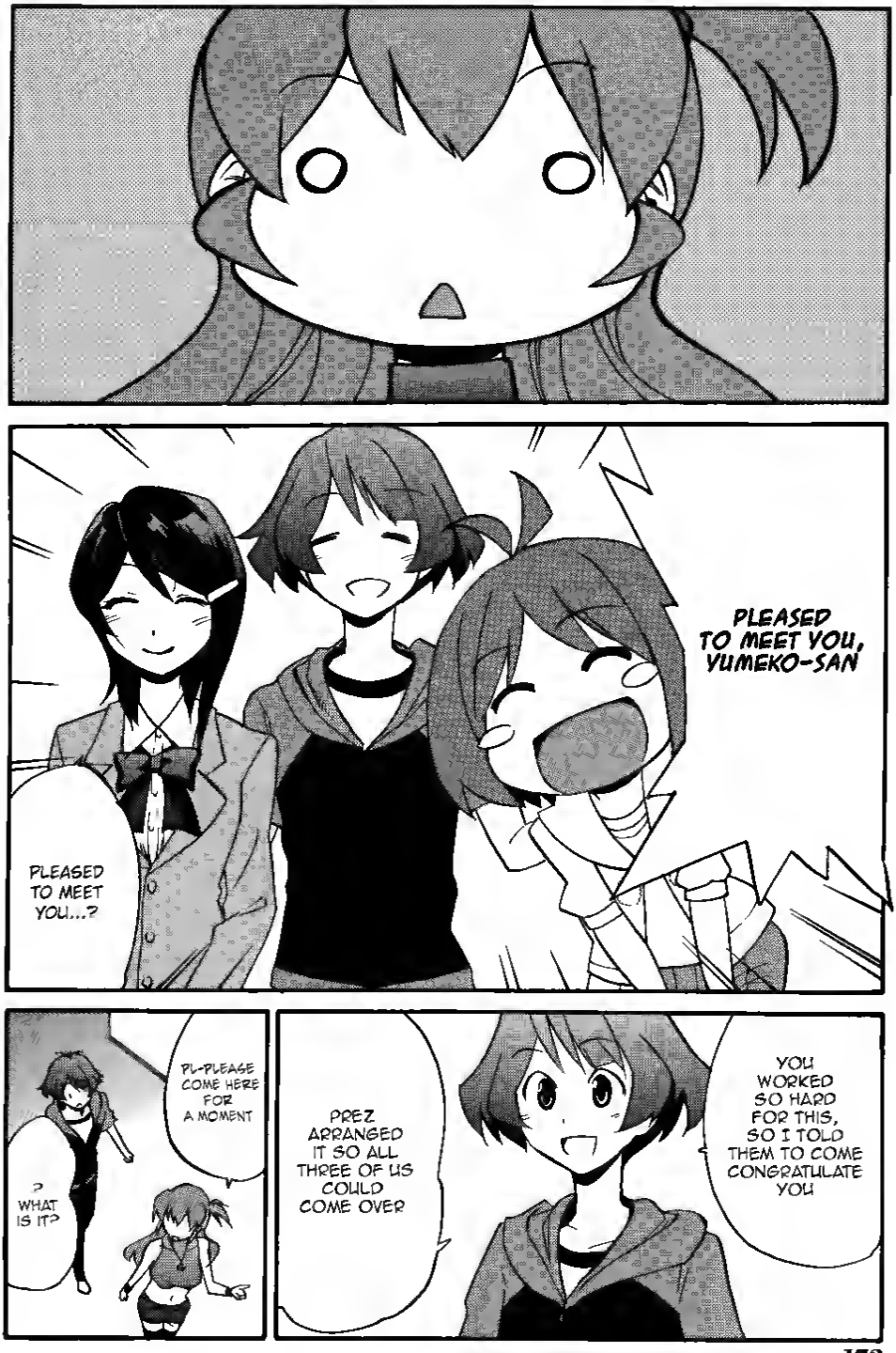
DID I REALLY ?
SO THAT'S WHY...
YOU DID!
TOTALLY!!
DID I EVER PROMISE SUCH A THING ?
I WANT YOU TO COME TO MY NEXT RADIO PROGRAM
AND JOIN ME

YUMEKO -CHAN!
YOU GOT YOURSELF A RADIO PROGRAM! CONGRA-TULATIONS!
OF COURSE I'LL COME AND HANG OUT WITH YOU!
AH
IT'D BE THE FIRST TIME WITH YOU AS THE MAIN HOST, RIGHT?
W-WHAT'S WITH THAT...
THAT SMIRK IS CREEPING ME OUT
YEAH, UNTIL NOW I'D ONLY BEEN ABLE TO DO MUSIC SHOWS
BUT THIS TIME I'LL BE ABLE TO FOCUS ON SEVERAL TOPICS
I SEE SO THAT'S HOW IT IS...
WELL, IN TODAY'S AUTOGRAPH SESSION
I WAS ABLE TO MEET SEVERAL PEOPLE WHO TOLD ME WHERE THEIR DREAMS WERE HEADING
I KEPT THINKING ABOUT HOW MUCH EFFORT THEY WERE PUTTING INTO IT

WHY, YOU SAY...
BECAUSE YOU PULLED OFF AN UNPRECEDENTED DEBUT ON-STAGE!
HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT HOW THEY SYMPATHIZED WITH YOUR SITUATION?
WELL, AIN'T THAT YOUR RESPONSIBILITY?
...WHY?
AND IT JUST MADE ME HAPPY
.....
YOU THINK SO...?
IF THAT WEREN'T THE CASE THEY WOULDN'T COME ALL THE WAY JUST TO TELL YOU DURING YOUR AUTOGRAPH SESSION
HONESTLY
I AM MORE THAN GLAD TO TAKE ON THEIR CONCERNS AFTER WHAT HAPPENED THEN
I STILL FEEL A BIT SAD FOR THOSE FANS WHO COULD NOT BEAR ME PRIORITIZING MY DREAM
AND I'M SURE THERE ARE STILL SEVERAL PEOPLE WITH HURT FEELINGS FROM WHEN I DID THAT ANNOUNCEMENT

WHY WOULD YOU!?
BUT YOU KNOW WHAT
IF THAT STUNT ENCOURAGED SOMEONE TO FULFILL THEIR OWN DREAMS
THEN I THINK IT WAS WELL WORTH IT
IT'S FINE TO LIVE THE WAY YOU WANT TO
THAT'S RIGHT!
EVEN IF YOU ARE AN IDOL, YOU'RE STILL HUMAN!
YOU CAN'T LIVE YOUR LIFE AT THE WHIMS OF YOUR FANS!
THERE'S PLENTY OF PEOPLE WHO CONTINUE TO ADMIRE YOU AFTER YOU REVEALED YOUR TRUE SELF.
AS AN IDOL, YOU ARE VERY COOL!

N-NOT THAT I AM ONE TO JUDGE!
THANK YOU VERY MUCH, YUMEKO-CHAN
J-JUST DROP IT, WILL YOU!!
AND DON'T YOU DARE NOT COME TO MY SHOW
GOTCHA
I ALSO HAVE A SONG CORNER SO YOU BETTER SING ALONG WITH ME!
YOU BETTER BE READY FOR THAT!!


PLEASED TO MEET YOU, YUMEKO-SAN
PLEASED TO MEET YOU...?
PL-PLEASE COME HERE FOR A MOMENT
? WHAT IS IT?
PREZ ARRANGED IT SO ALL THREE OF US COULD COME OVER
YOU WORKED SO HARD FOR THIS, SO I TOLD THEM TO COME CONGRATULATE YOU

I'VE HAD IIIIIIT!!
WHAAAA -!?
AHHH!!
YU-YUMEKO -SAN..!?
DON'T ASK ME!
WHAT IS THIS ABOUT!?
OUCH, OUCH!!
HOW THE HELL CAN HE BE THIS DIM-WITTED...!
AH, THIS IS BA...

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THIS LOOKS FUUUN!!
I WANNA TRY IT OUT TOO! RYOU-SAN! PLEASE HAND IT OVER!!
THEN PLEASE TAKE IT!
I CANNOT TAKE IT OFF MYSELF
SAKURAI -SAN?
I BELIEVE WE'VE MET AT AN AUDITION BEFORE
Y-YEAH
THAT'S RIGHT

I'D LIKE TO BE ON SUCH GOOD TERMS WITH YOU AS YOU ARE WITH RYOU?
WOULD THAT BE OKAY?
AH.
YEAH
I'M ALSO PLEASED TO MEET YOU!
IT WAS KINDA EMBARRASSING
AHAHA, AI-CHAN, IT REALLY SUITS YOU!
I AM AI-ROBOT
PEW-PEW!

BUT MAYBE IT'S NOT SUCH BAD THING, THIS SITUATION
OH WELL, I'LL FORGIVE HIM
HUH! LIKE THAT!?
YES, BUT PLEASE DON'T TELL ANYBODY
SEEMS I'VE BEEN LEFT OUT
AND WHO IS IT...?
THOUGH I'M STILL CURIOUS